



WHEREAS, the Concordia Parish Police Jury hereby consolidates voting precincts 5-5 and 5-7 into one precinct;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Concordia Parish Police Jury, acting as the governing authority of the Parish of Concordia, State of Louisiana;

SECTION I: That there is hereby established the following voting precinct in the Parish of Concordia, the boundaries of which are hereby established along with the location of polling place for one precinct, as follows:

**PRECINCT 5-5**

**POLLING PLACE: SHERIFF'S SUBSTATION-MONTEREY  
6098 HWY. 129  
MONTEREY, LOUISIANA 71354**

Precinct 5-5 of Concordia Parish, Louisiana is described as follows:

Begin at a point of the centerline of the Vidalia Canal at its intersection with the centerline of La. Hwy. 15;

Thence, easterly along the centerline of La. Hwy. 15 to its intersection with the centerline of La. Hwy. 131 in Section 24, T6N-R9E;

Thence, north along the centerline of La. Hwy. 131 to its intersection with centerline of road in Section 51, T7N-R9E;

Thence, east along the centerline of road to its intersection with the boundary of the States of Louisiana and Mississippi in Section 9, T6N-R9E;

Thence, south along the States of Louisiana and Mississippi boundary to its intersection with the Point Coupee and Concordia Parish boundary line;

Thence, north along Concordia Parish, Point Coupee, West Feliciana, Avoyelles Parishes boundary lines to its intersection with the centerline of Bayou Cocodrie in Section 7, T3N-R8E;

Thence, northerly along the centerline of Bayou Cocodrie to its intersection with the centerline of the Parish Drainage Canal in Section 26, T5N-R7E;

Thence, north along the centerline of the Parish Canal to its intersection with the centerline of Wyches Bayou;

Thence, northwesterly along the centerline of Wyches Bayou to its intersection with the centerline of Black River Lake which is the Catahoula-Concordia Parish Boundary Line;

Thence, northerly along the Catahoula-Concordia Parish Boundary line to its intersection with the centerline of Horseshoe Lake;

Thence, northerly and easterly along the centerline of Horseshoe Lake to its intersection with the centerline of Bayou Cross Cocodrie;

Thence, easterly along the centerline of Bayou Cross Cocodrie to its intersection of the centerline of Bayou Cocodrie;

Thence, northerly along the centerline of Bayou Cocodrie to its intersection with the centerline of Vidalia Canal;

Thence, northeasterly along the centerline of the Vidalia Canal to its intersection with the centerline of La. Hwy. 15 which is the point of beginning.

SECTION II: The precincts merged and referenced in this Ordinance shall mean precincts 5-5 and 5-7, their boundaries, and their territories as adopted by the Parish governing authority by Ordinance 2014-04.

SECTION III: All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances and all Resolutions or parts of Resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION IV: This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon adoption and publication as required by law, subject to approval by the State of Louisiana, Secretary of State, and Director of Demographics.

SECTION V: ADOPTION: The above Ordinance was read and considered Section-by-Section, then passed.

WHEREUPON, the President declared this Ordinance duly adopted this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2015.

YAYS: 9      NAYS: 0      ABSENT: 0      ABSTAIN: 0

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Melvin Ferrington, President

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Kevin Friloux, Secretary-Treasurer

A motion was made by Mr. Shirley seconded by Mr. Tiffie to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of August 10, 2015 as mailed. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Cook seconded by Mr. Jernigan to waive the absence of Mr. Beatty and Mr. Ferrington from the regular meeting of August 10, 2015. Motion carried.

Mr. Ferrington announced that four responses had been received for the Request for Qualifications for the LCDBG 2016-2017. Those were Denman Engineering, Pan American Engineers, LLC, Jordan Kaiser & Sessions, LLC and H. Davis Cole & Associates, LLC. After opening of the proposals the president appointed a special committee to review the proposals for recommendation. The committee members are Mr. Ferrington, Mr. Shirley, Mr. Parker, Mr. Jernigan and Mr. Friloux. The committee is to meet on Monday, August 31, 2015 at 10 AM.

A motion was made by Mr. Shirley seconded by Mr. Parker to approve the following resolution:

#### RESOLUTION

#### TO APPROVE THE MOVING OF THE POLLING PLACE FOR CONCORDIA PARISH PRECINCT 3-1

Whereas, the polling place for Concordia Parish precinct 3-1 is currently located at the historic Old Concordia Parish Courthouse, 403 Carter Street, Vidalia, LA 71373; and

Whereas, the Concordia Parish Police Jury has been notified that this location is no longer suited for use as a polling place; and

Whereas, the City of Vidalia has authorized the use of the City of Vidalia Hydro Building, 409 Texas Street, Vidalia, LA 71373 as a polling place for Precinct 3-1; and

Whereas, this location will better serve the public as a polling place for precinct 3-1; and

Whereas, the City of Vidalia Hydro Building would provide as much or more in the area of safety and comfortable conditions for the voters and the polling commissioners;

Therefore be it resolved that the Concordia Parish Police Jury does hereby authorize the moving of the polling place for Concordia Parish precinct 3-1 from the Old Concordia Parish Courthouse to the City of Vidalia Hydro Building located at 409 Texas Street, Vidalia, LA 71373 upon approval by the Louisiana Secretary of State.

The foregoing Resolution was read in full, the roll was called on the adoption thereof, and the Resolution was adopted by the following votes:

YEAS: 9                      NAYS: 0                      ABSTAINED: 0                      ABSENT: 0

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Kevin M. Friloux  
Secretary Treasurer

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Melvin Ferrington, President

#### CERTIFICATION

I, Kevin M. Friloux, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing constitutes a true and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the Concordia Parish Police Jury on this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2015.

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Kevin M. Friloux  
Secretary Treasurer

A motion was made by Mr. Parker seconded by Mr. Dunbar to approve Ordinance No. 2015-2 adding grass cutting fees to the 2015 property tax roles as follows:

#### ORDINANCE NO. 2015-2

AN ORDINANCE OF THE PARISH OF CONCORDIA , LOUISIANA  
APPROVING THE ADDING OF CHARGES FOR GRASS AND PROPERTY  
CLEANING TO THE PROPERTY TAX ASSESSMENT ROLLS FOR 2015

WHEREAS, the Concordia Parish Police Jury desires to keep residential areas free of obnoxious weeds and grass in compliance with its nuisance ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Concordia Parish Police Jury has complied with the proper notification provisions of said ordinances; and

WHEREAS, the applicable property owners have failed to remit payment for said services;

BE IT ORDAINED by the Concordia Parish Police Jury, State of Louisiana, that the following charges be applied to the 2014 property tax assessment rolls as provided for in Louisiana R.S. 33:1236 (21) (a)(i):

Values Unlimited, 483 Airport Road, Natchez, MS 39120  
Lot 220 of Unit 3, Ridgecrest, Louisiana 71334  
Parcel #9430007700 \$ 400

Clinton Forrest Augustine, 385 Terry Circle, Vidalia, LA 71373  
Lot 37 of Little Acres Subdivision, 2<sup>nd</sup> Development  
Parcel #0400078402B \$400

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that a copy of this ordinance be forwarded to the Honorable Jerry Clark, Tax Assessor of Concordia Parish for his further use.

And the vote thereon was as follows:      Yeas      Nays      Absent

And the ordinance was declared adopted effective immediately.

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Melvin Ferrington, President

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Kevin M. Friloux, Secretary Treasurer

A motion was made by Mr. Parker seconded by Mr. Beatty to call a public hearing on September 14, 2015 for the purpose of considering abandoning a portion of Ferguson Road near Clayton and advertising for the hearing in the Concordia Sentinel and the Tensas Gazette. Motion carried.

The issue of the Deadening Road was up for consideration. Assistant district attorney Ann Siddall addressed the jury on the position of the district attorney's office in this matter. She related that the office did not have the time or the expertise to handle the matter and suggested possible outside legal counsel if the police jury decides to file suit. A brief discussion followed. Upon conclusion of the discussion a motion was made by Mr. Tiffie seconded by Mr. Jernigan to notify D & D Drilling to comply with the jury's request to repair the roadway to acceptable parish standards or remit the monies needed to have the parish do the repair work. Motion carried.

Parish engineer Doug Wimberly gave a short presentation on the parish's drainage project's progress. Upon conclusion a motion was made by Mr. Shirley seconded by Mr. Cook to approve payment to Jordan Kaiser & Sessions in the amount of \$41,916.66 for engineering services subject to state approval. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Beatty seconded by Mr. Dunbar to approve the filing of an application to the office of rural development for a grant for

renovations to the Old Concordia Parish Courthouse air conditioning system.  
Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Tiffie seconded by Mr. Dunbar to approve the following occupational license:

Monterey Market, 6180 Highway 129, Monterey—Grocery Store  
(New Business)

Motion carried.

Mr. Ferrington notified the members of the jury that the jury will sit as the Board of Review for the 2015 tax role on Monday, September 14, 2015.

A motion was made by Mr. Tiffie seconded by Mr. Beatty to approve the following materials list: 28 yards of pitrun gravel for Sunrise Road, 70 yards of oversized washed gravel for Bodark Road, 14 yards of washed gravel for Minorca Road boat ramp, 77 yards of washed gravel for Archer Road, 84 tons of limestone for Haphazard Road, two 15" x 30' culverts for Ames Road. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Dunbar seconded by Mr. Shirley to send a followup letter to the head of the department of environmental quality in regards to the continuing burning of trash at 4560 Highway 84 West, Vidalia. Motion carried.

Mr. Ferrington advised the jury that the burn ban now in place would be lifted due to the recent rains.

There being no further business a motion was made by Mr. Cook seconded by Mr. Dunbar that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried.

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Kevin M. Friloux, Secretary Treasurer